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INFORMALITY RE PAYMENT OF FEE

The informality regarding the payment of the fee in connection with ☐ the original filing fee ☑ the amendment filed __12\13\04__ is indicated below.

A. FEE DUE

1. ☐ The amendment is considered incomplete in that the funds in Deposit Account No. _____ are insufficient to cover the entire fee due. The balance is due within the period set below.

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3. ☑ The amendment has not been entered, since applicant has failed to remit (or authorize charge to a Deposit Account) the fee as indicated on the attached Patent Application Fee Determination Record. Remittance or authorization is due within the period set below.

4. ☑ The filing fee of $ _____ submitted in this application is insufficient.

   A balance of $ __18:00__ is due for additional claims.

5. ☐

   APPLICANT IS GIVEN THE REMAINDER OF THE SET PERIOD FOR RESPONSE, OR ONE (I) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER, WHICHEVER IS LONGER, WITHIN WHICH TO REMIT THE FEE OF $ __18.00__ .

B. EXCESS PAYMENT:

5. ☐ It is noted that payment of $ _____ is in excess of the amount necessary to cover the claims now in the application. See the attached Patent Application Fee Determination Record.

   This matter of refund or credit to your account is being referred to the Finance Officer, for his consideration.

TRACY WONG
CLERK OF GROUP
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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD
Substitute for Form PTO-875

Application or Docket Number 10/823951

CLAIMS AS FILED – PART I

FOR	NUMBER FILED (Column 1)	NUMBER EXTRA (Column 2)	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY FEE
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))				$	OR	.	$ 770
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	36 minus 20 =	16	X $___ =		OR	X $ 18 =	288
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	5 minus 3 =	2	X $___ =		OR	X $___ =	172
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ $___ =		OR	+ $___ =	
			TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	1230

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED – PART II

AMENDMENT A

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT (Column 1)		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR (Column 2)	PRESENT EXTRA (Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	37	Minus	36	= 1	X $___ =		OR	X $ 18 =	18
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	5	Minus	5	=	X $___ =		OR	X $___ =	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ $___ =		OR	+ $___ =	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	18

AMENDMENT B

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT (Column 1)		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR (Column 2)	PRESENT EXTRA (Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))		Minus		=	X $___ =		OR	X $___ =	
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus		=	X $___ =		OR	X $___ =	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ $___ =		OR	+ $___ =	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

AMENDMENT C

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT (Column 1)		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR (Column 2)	PRESENT EXTRA (Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))		Minus		=	X $___ =		OR	X $___ =	
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))		Minus		=	X $___ =		OR	X $___ =	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ $___ =		OR	+ $___ =	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.
** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20".
*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3".
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